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The Club of Odd Volumes

THE CLUB OF ODD VOLUMES OF BOSTON

CONSTITUTION AND BY-LAWS WITH A LIST OF THE OFFICERS AND MEMBERS

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CHARTER

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

BE IT KNOWN: *That whereas Curtis Guild, William Clarence Burrage, John P. Woodbury, William S. Hills, John Murray Brown, Loren G. DuBois, Edward M. Jewett, Jno. E. Devlin, Zachary T. Hollingsworth, W. E. Field and Sumner Hollingsworth, have associated themselves with the intention of forming a corporation under the name of The Club of Odd Volumes of Boston, for the purpose of promoting literary and artistic tastes, establishing and maintaining a place for social meetings and a reference library, occasional exhibits of a special and instructive character and publishing rare prints and books relating to historical and literary matters, and have complied with the provisions of the Statutes of this Commonwealth in such case made and provided, as appears from the certificate of the President, Treasurer and Clerk, and Directors of said corporation, duly approved by the Commissioner of Corporations, and recorded in this office.*

NOW, THEREFORE, I, HENRY B. PEIRCE, *Secretary of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts*, DO HEREBY CERTIFY *that said C. Guild, W. C. Burrage, J. P. Woodbury, W. S. Hills, J. M. Brown, L. G. DuBois, E. M. Jewett, J. E. Devlin, Z. T. Hollingsworth, W. E. Field and S. Hollingsworth, their associates and successors, are legally organized and established as and are hereby made an existing corporation under the name of*

THE CLUB OF ODD VOLUMES OF BOSTON

with the powers, rights and privileges, and subject to

the limitations, duties, and restrictions which by law appertain thereto.

WITNESS *my official signature hereunto subscribed, and the seal of the Commonwealth of*
SEAL *Massachusetts hereunto affixed this twenty-eighth day of April, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ninety,*

HENRY B. PEIRCE, *Secretary of the Commonwealth.*

CONSTITUTION

I

Name

THE title of this Club shall be The Club of Odd Volumes.

II

Objects

This Club is formed for the purpose of promoting literary and artistic tastes, establishing and maintaining a place for social meetings and a reference library, providing occasional exhibits of a special and instructive character, and publishing rare prints and books relating to historical and literary matters.

III

Membership

1. Candidates for membership shall be at least twenty-one years of age, and men sincerely interested in the objects named. Any person duly elected a member shall, upon accepting his election in writing, and paying his admission fee and assessment for the current half year, become thenceforth entitled to all the rights and privileges of membership, provided such acts shall be performed within sixty days from the date of such election.

2. Persons elected members of the Club during the months of June and December shall not be required to pay the assessment for the current half year.

3. The number of members, resident and non-resident, at any one time, shall not exceed fifty-one.

IV

Government

1. The Officers of the Club shall be a President, a Clerk and Treasurer, and Nine Directors, who shall constitute the Executive Committee of the Club. They shall be elected at the Annual Meeting in December, and shall hold office from the first day of January following, and until their successors are elected and have accepted office.

The President and Clerk and Treasurer shall be elected for a term of one year. At the Annual Meeting in 1903 three Directors shall be elected for a term of one year, three Directors for a term of two years, and three Directors for a term of three years, and thereafter at each Annual Meeting three Directors shall be elected for a term of three years, to fill the vacancies then occurring in said office. Upon the expiration of his term of office a Director shall not be eligible for reëlection for one year thereafter. The President, or in his absence one of the Executive Committee, shall preside at all meetings of the Club.

2. The offices of Clerk and Treasurer may be held by one person.

3. If the office of the President or of the Clerk or Treasurer becomes vacant, the Executive Committee shall call a special meeting of the Club to fill such vacancy. If any other vacancy shall occur, the Executive Committee may fill the same.

BY-LAWS

I

Clerk and Treasurer

1. The Clerk shall give notice by mail of all Meetings of the Club; he shall notify members of all persons elected, and such persons of their election; he shall have the custody of all the Club's official documents, conduct its correspondence, and keep the Records and Minutes of the Meetings.

2. The Treasurer shall be charged with the collecting and custody of the funds of the Club and their disbursement, under the direction of the Executive Committee, and shall keep an account thereof and exhibit the same at the Annual Meeting.

II

Executive Committee

1. The Executive Committee shall have the management and control of the affairs of the Club and its property, including the supervision of all publications issued by the Club, but shall have no power to contract any debt in the name of the Club beyond an amount that may be in the hands of the Treasurer, except it be authorized by a two-thirds vote of the members present at a regular meeting, notice by mail of the desired appropriation having been given by the Clerk to each member seven days in advance of said meeting.

2. The names of all candidates proposed for admission shall be received and acted upon by this Committee.

3. The Executive Committee shall appoint a Librarian.

III

Librarian

1. The Librarian shall have the charge of all books, papers, prints, manuscripts or publications of the Club, and, with the concurrence of the Executive Committee, provide for the purchase, acceptance and safe keeping of the same.

2. No article, with the custody of which the Librarian is charged, shall be removed from the Club Rooms without the consent of the Executive Committee, and no picture, ornament or work of art shall be placed in the Club Rooms, except by the consent of the Executive Committee.

IV

Election of Members

1. Whenever any person shall be proposed for membership, written application must be made by a member of the Club to the Executive Committee, subscribed by him, setting forth the name and place of residence of the person proposed and the date of such proposal. If the Committee shall unanimously accept him as a suitable person for membership, due notice of the same shall be given to the Clerk.

2. The election shall take place at a regular meeting of the Club, notice by mail of the candidate's name and that of the member proposing the same having been given by the Clerk to each member seven days in advance of said meeting.

3. All elections shall be by ballot, and a single black ball shall constitute a rejection.

4. No candidate who shall have been rejected shall be again proposed within six months.

V

Non-Resident and Honorary Members

1. Persons having no residence or place of business in Boston or within twenty-five miles therefrom may be admitted to membership in the Club upon the payment of one half the rates of admission fees and annual assessments, provided that when such non-resident member shall cease to belong to that class by change of residence or place of business, he shall thereupon be liable to pay the residue of the admission fee, and thereafter to pay full annual assessments.

Non-resident members shall have all the rights and privileges of resident members, except that they shall not be eligible for office, and in the event of a dissolution of the Club the interest of a non-resident member in its property, effects and assets shall be a half share only.

2. Honorary members to the number of five may be admitted to the Club in the manner provided for the election of members. They shall be exempt from admission fees and annual assessments, shall have no vote in the proceedings of the Club, nor any interest in its property, but shall be entitled to subscribe to the Club publications.

VI

Admission Fees and Annual Assessments

1. There shall be an admission fee of twenty-five dollars and an annual assessment of twenty-five dollars paid by each member.

2. The annual assessment shall be payable one half on the first day of January, and one half on the first day of July. Due notice by mail of the same shall

be given to each member by the Treasurer, and the name of any member delinquent on the first day of March and September respectively shall be reported by the Treasurer to the Executive Committee, for such action as it may deem expedient; and the Committee may declare the membership of such delinquent member forfeited.

VII

Resignations

1. Any member may resign from the Club after payment of all dues by giving written notice to the Executive Committee. Upon the death or resignation of a member all his right, title and interest in the property of the Club shall vest in the Club.
2. Resignations must be made on or before the thirty-first day of December or the thirtieth day of June, or the member will be liable for the dues of the ensuing half year.

VIII

Forfeiture of Membership

1. Any two members may present to the Executive Committee written charges subscribed by themselves against any other member, and if it shall appear to the Executive Committee on inquiry, after notice to the member so charged and an opportunity given him to be heard in his defence, that his conduct has endangered or is likely to endanger the good order, welfare or character of the Club, or is at variance with the requirements of the Constitution and By-Laws, the Executive Committee may by vote of two thirds of its members declare his membership forfeited.

2. A forfeiture shall operate to vest in the Club all right, title and interest of such expelled member in and to the property, effects and assets thereof.

IX

Nomination and Election of Officers

At the regular meeting of the Club in November, a Committee of three members shall be chosen to nominate candidates for office for the ensuing year. The Committee shall report to the Clerk, and he shall send a list by mail of the candidates nominated to each member seven days before the Annual Meeting; all elections of officers shall be by ballot; a two-thirds vote of the members present shall constitute an election.

X

Meetings

1. The regular meetings of the Club shall be held on the fourth Wednesday of each month, excepting June, July, August and September, at such place as shall be designated by the Executive Committee. The December meeting shall be the Annual Meeting and shall be held in Boston on the fourth Wednesday in December at eight o'clock P.M.

The order of business at Annual Meetings shall be as follows:

1. *Reading Minutes of the preceding Meeting.*
2. *Report of Executive Committee.*
3. *Report of the Clerk and Treasurer.*
4. *Report of Committees.*
5. *Report of Librarian.*
6. *Election of Officers.*
7. *Any other business.*

2. Should a regular meeting or the Annual Meeting fall upon a legal holiday, said meeting shall be held at such time as the Executive Committee may appoint.

3. At all meetings of the Club, ten members shall constitute a quorum for the transaction of business. Any member may invite a guest to a meeting of the Club, except on occasions when this privilege is suspended by the Executive Committee.

4. The Executive Committee, five of whom shall constitute a quorum, shall hold meetings from time to time at the call of its Chairman, and in the event of his failure to convene the same the meeting may be called by any two members of the Executive Committee.

XI

Absence

A member who intends to be absent from the country for one or more calendar years may, on giving notice to the Executive Committee, be discharged from liability for half his dues during such absence.

XII

Dissolution of the Club

The Club may dissolve by a resolution passed by a two-thirds vote of all the members, voting at a meeting specially called for the purpose, notice having been given thirty days in advance.

XIII

Alterations of the Constitution and By-Laws

Alterations of the Constitution and By-Laws may be made by a two-thirds vote of the members pre-

sent at any regular meeting, provided notice of the proposed alterations shall have been given at the previous regular meeting, and provided, also, that a notice by mail of the proposed alterations shall have been sent by the Clerk to each member at least seven days before the time assigned for acting thereon.

OFFICERS FOR YEAR 1904

President

James Frothingham Hunnewell

Clerk and Treasurer

William Green Shillaber

Directors

The President, Clerk and Treasurer, *ex officiis*

For One Year

Edward Percival Merritt
George Emery Littlefield
Alfred Bowditch

For Two Years

Ezra Henry Baker
John Page Woodbury
Henry Saltonstall Howe

For Three Years

Zachary Taylor Hollingsworth
William Vail Kellen
John Endicott Peabody

Publication Committee
Zachary Taylor Hollingsworth
Alfred Bowditch
James Frothingham Hunnewell
George Emery Littlefield
William Vail Kellen

Librarian
George Emery Littlefield

LIST OF MEMBERS

Resident Members

William Sanford Hills 1887
294 *Newbury Street, Boston*

Amor Leander Hollingsworth 1887
Milton, Massachusetts

Zachary Taylor Hollingsworth 1887
170 *Summer Street, Boston*

James Frothingham Hunnewell 1887–88, 1894
289 *Beacon Street, Boston*

James Lyman Whitney 1887–93, 1894
Public Library, Boston

John Page Woodbury 1887
348 *Commonwealth Avenue, Boston*

William Maurice Bullivant 1887–93, 1894
West Newton, Massachusetts

John Murray Brown 1888
Belmont, Massachusetts

Frederick Lewis Gay 1890
Fisher Avenue, Brookline, Massachusetts

Alfred Bowditch 1890
28 *State Street, Boston*

Henry Sherburne Rowe 1890
93 *Newbury Street, Boston*

William Tryon Shepherd 1890
Auburndale, Massachusetts

William Vail Kellen 1891–93, 1894
202 *Commonwealth Avenue, Boston*

Grenville Howland Norcross 1891–94, 1902
9 *Commonwealth Avenue, Boston*

John Appleton Burnham 1893
57 *Commonwealth Avenue, Boston*

George Emery Littlefield 1893
Somerville, Massachusetts

William Green Shillaber 1894
275 *Beacon Street, Boston*

John Woodbury 1894
14 *Beacon Street, Boston*

Leopold Herman Chubbuck 1894
Haddon Hall, Commonwealth Avenue, Boston

Henry Fuller Tapley 1894
194 *Congress Street, Boston*

Charles Bailey Gookin 1895
328 *Bay State Road, Boston*

Charles Henry Taylor, Jr. 1896
84 *Beacon Street, Boston*

Henry Saltonstall Howe 1897
Brookline, Massachusetts

Ezra Henry Baker 1897
27 *Ames Building, Boston*

John Endicott Peabody 1897
183 *Marlborough Street, Boston*

William Caleb Loring 1899
2 *Gloucester Street, Boston*

Frederick James Libbie 1900
35 *Allston Street, Dorchester, Massachusetts*

Oliver Willard Mink 1901
Hotel Somerset, Boston

Robert Gould Shaw 1902
87 *Milk Street, Boston*

William Crowninshield Endicott 1902
Danvers, Massachusetts

Harold Murdock 1902
Chestnut Hill, Massachusetts

Edward Percival Merritt 1902
343 *Marlborough Street, Boston*

Arthur Lord 1902
Plymouth, Massachusetts

Hiram Bingham, Jr. 1903
Hill House, Reservoir Street, Cambridge, Mass.

Henry Winchester Cunningham 1903
351 *Marlborough Street, Boston*

Charles Pelham Greenough 1903
Brookline, Massachusetts

Non-Resident Members

Nathaniel Paine 1887
72 *Elm Street, Worcester, Massachusetts*

James Osborne Wright 1893
Fairfield, Connecticut

James William Ellsworth 1895
18 *East 53d Street, New York City*

Charles Dexter Allen 1896
296 *Broadway, New York City*

Charles Lemuel Nichols 1897
38 *Cedar Street, Worcester, Massachusetts*

John Caldwell 1897
Edgewood Park, Pennsylvania

Edwin Davis French 1898
Saranac Lake, New York

William Fowler Hopson 1898
730 *Whitney Avenue, New Haven, Conn.*

George Parker Winship 1898
John Carter Brown Library, Providence, R.I.

Samuel Putnam Avery 1900
4 *East 38th Street, New York City*

Edwin Babcock Holden 1900
323 *Riverside Drive, New York City*

Richard Hoe Lawrence 1900
15 *Wall Street, New York City*

Francis Almon Gaskill 1900
Worcester, Massachusetts

Robert Hoe 1900
11 *East 36th Street, New York City*

William Loring Andrews 1901
16 *East 38th Street, New York City*

Honorary Member

George Clulow 1887
51 *Belsize Ave., Hampstead, London, N.W.*

OFFICERS OF THE CLUB

From its Foundation in 1887

Presidents

1887–1891
Curtis Guild

1892
William Evarts Field (*died in office*)

1892–1893
Zachary Taylor Hollingsworth

1894–1895
John Page Woodbury

1896–
James Frothingham Hunnewell

Clerks and Treasurers

1887–1890
William Clarence Burrage

1891–1892
Loren Griswold DuBois

1893–1894
Frederick William French

1895–
William Green Shillaber

DECEASED MEMBERS

William Clarence Burrage	*January* 20, 1892
William Evarts Field	*March* 19, 1892
Theodore Nickerson	*September* 12, 1894
Henry Oscar Houghton	*August* 25, 1895
John Haigh	*August* 20, 1896
Charles Eadward Pratt	*August* 20, 1898
Sumner Hollingsworth	*June* 26, 1899
Mellen Chamberlain	*June* 25, 1900
Frederick William French	*July* 18, 1900
John Wilson	*May* 11, 1903

PUBLICATIONS

BOOKS

All issued by the CLUB *were printed at The University Press: John Wilson & Son, Cambridge*

THE | WORKS OF GEORGE CRUIKSHANK | IN | OIL, WATER COLORS, ORIGINAL DRAWINGS, ETCHINGS, | WOODCUTS, LITHOGRAPHS, AND GLYPHOGRAPHS | COLLECTED BY | JOHN B. GOUGH | WITH A FAC-SIMILE OF THE CATALOGUE AND TWENTY EIGHT ORIGI-NAL | DRAWINGS REPRODUCED BY PHOTOGRAVURE | [*Seal*] | BOSTON | THE CLUB OF ODD VOLUMES | 1890

Quarto, 10¼ *by* 12¼ *inches*, *pp.* 56 (*as numbered*), *issued in boards.* 125 *copies on plate paper*, 10 *on Japanese vellum paper.*

THE WOMEN | OF THE | COURT OF LOUIS XV. | TRANSLATED FROM THE FRENCH | OF | IMBERT DE SAINT-AMAND | [*Seal*] | BOSTON | THE CLUB OF ODD VOLUMES | 1892

Quarto, 8½ *by* 10⅝ *inches*, *pp.* 7 + 304. *With* 2 *portraits* (4 *plates*), *issued in boards; Arms in gilt on the front side.* 150 *copies on Holland hand-made paper.*

THE | LAST YEARS OF LOUIS XV. | TRANSLATED FROM THE FRENCH | OF | IMBERT DE SAINT-AMAND |

Note: For the first issue by the CLUB, *a pamphlet, see* "*Ye Sette &c.;*" "*Club Books.*"

[*Seal*] | Boston | The Club of Odd Volumes | 1893

Quarto, uniform with above, pp. 7 + 236. *With* 2 *portraits* (4 *plates*). 150 *copies on Holland hand-made paper.*

*** *The plates in these two volumes were printed by Goupil & Co., of Paris, for the* Club.

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Early American Poetry

Five volumes, each of them with an Introduction by James F. Hunnewell, quarto (7 *by* 8⅞ *inches*), *hand-made paper, bound in half dark roan, blue paper sides with gilt seal of the Club. Of each volume one hundred numbered copies were printed.*

I. New-England's Crisis | by | Benjamin Tompson | [*Seal*] | Boston | The Club of Odd Volumes | [*Dec.*] 1894

From the original in the Boston Athenæum. Introduction, "Early Poetry of the Provinces, now parts of the United States," (through their first century) J. F. H. 28 + 31 *pages.*

II. New-England | or | A Briefe Enarration of the Ayre, Earth, | Water, Fish and Fowles of that Country, | With | A Description of the Natures, Orders, Habits, | and Religion of the Natiues; | In Latine and English Verse | *Sat brevè, si sat benè* | [*Seal*] | Boston | The Club of Odd Volumes | [*March*] 1895

In Latin and English, by the Rev. William Morill. Printed by process plates from an original in the British Museum, London, Imprinted by I. D., 1625. 7 + 24 + 2 *pages.*

III. A Poem and An Elegy | by | Cotton Mather | [*Seal*] | Boston | The Club of Odd Volumes | [*Jan.*] 1896

A Poem | Dedicated to the Memory | of | the Reverend and Excellent | Mr. Urian Oakes, | the late Pastor to Christ's Flock, | and President of Harvard College, | in Cambridge, | Who was gathered to his People on 25 d 5 mo 1681. | In the sixty'th Year of his Age. [*Three Quotations.*] Boston in New-England, | Printed for John Ratcliff, 1682.

An | Elegy | On The Much-to-be-deplored Death | Of That Never-to-be-forgotten Person, | The Reverend | Mr. Nathanael Collins; [*etc.*] | Boston in New England | Printed by Richard Pierce for Obadiah Gill. | Anno Christi 1685.

From the unique copies in the library of Brown University, R. I. 13+5+(16)+6+(20) *pages. With* 2 *facsimile titles.*

IV. Elegies and Epitaphs | 1677–1717 | [*Seal*] | Boston | The Club of Odd Volumes | [*Oct.*] 1896

An Elegie | upon | The Death of the Reverend | Mr. Thomas Shepard, | Late Teacher of the Church at | Charlestown in New England: | By a great Admirer of his Worth, and true Mourner for | his Death. [*Rev. Urian Oakes.*] | Cambridge | Printed by Samuel Green, 1677.

From the copy owned by James F. Hunnewell.

Johannes in Eremo, Memoirs, Relating to the | Lives, | of the | Ever-Memorable, | ** |

Mr. John Wilson | Who Dyed 7d. 6m. 1667 [*etc.*] | Written, by Cotton Mather. | [*Boston*] 1695.

From the copy owned by Sumner Hollingsworth.

Vigilantius. | or, | A Servant of the Lord | Found Ready for the | Coming of the Lord. | A Discourse | Occasioned by the Early Death | of Seven Young | Ministers, | *** | And an Elegy upon them. | Boston: 1706.

From the copy owned by Abram E. Cutter.

Corderius Americanus. | An Essay | upon | The Good Education of Children. | ** | In a | Funeral Sermon | upon | Mr. Ezekiel Cheever. | The Ancient and Honourable Master of the | Free-School in Boston, | Vho left off, but when Mortality took him off, in | August, 1708. the Ninety Fourth Year of his Age. | With an Elegy and an Epitaph upon him. | By one that was a Scholar to him. | Boston, 1708.

From the copy owned by James F. Hunnewell.

Hades Look'd into. | *** | A Sermon | Preached at the Funeral | of the Honourable, | Wait Winthrop Esq; | *** | By C. Mather, DD. & F. R. S. | A Latin Epitaphium. | Boston, 1717.

From the copy owned by Sumner Hollingsworth.
The last Three Elegies and the Epitaph by the Rev. Cotton Mather. With 5 facsimile title-pages. 16+ [44] *pages.*

V. The Poems | of | Roger Wolcott, Esq. | 1725 | [*Seal*] | Boston | The Club of Odd Volumes | [*Jan.*] | 1898

POETICAL | MEDITATIONS, | BEING THE | IMPROVEMENT | OF SOME | VACANT HOURS, | BY ROGER WOLCOTT, ESQ; | *** | NEW LONDON, | PRINTED AND SOLD BY L. GREEN | 1725.

Type set from a copy owned by Sumner Hollingsworth. Introduction and Note by James F. Hunnewell. One Copy, A, printed on old paper, presented to the Hon. Roger Wolcott. 14+4+79 *pages.*

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EARLY BOSTON BOOKSELLERS | 1642–1711 | BY | GEORGE EMERY LITTLEFIELD | [*Seal*] | BOSTON | THE CLUB OF ODD VOLUMES | 1900

9⅝ *by* 6½ *inches*, 15 *facsimiles*, 256 *pages on hand-made paper.* 150 *copies bound uniform with the Poetry.*

NEW ENGLANDS | MEMORIALL | BY NATHANIEL MORTON | WITH AN INTRODUCTION BY | ARTHUR LORD | [*Seal*] | BOSTON | THE CLUB OF ODD VOLUMES | 1903

Quarto, 9 *by* 7 *inches.* 21 + (13) + 198 + (10) *pages.*

** *Printed by process plates from copies in the possession of Frederick L. Gay, and George E. Littlefield.*

Issued in boards, gray paper sides with title and seal of CLUB *in gilt. The edition consisted of* 150 *copies on hand-made paper.*

EARLY | SCHOOLS AND SCHOOL BOOKS | OF | NEW ENGLAND | BY | GEORGE EMERY LITTLEFIELD | [*Seal*] | BOSTON, MASSACHUSETTS | THE CLUB OF ODD VOLUMES | 1904

9⅝ *by* 6½ *inches*, 93 *illustrations*, 354 *pages on hand-made paper.* 167 *copies bound uniform with the Poetry.*

ADDRESSES AT MEETINGS

In size, paper and binding uniform with the Poetry.

GEOFFREY CHAUCER | A PAPER READ BY GEORGE PARKER WINSHIP AT | A MEETING [*Oct.* 25, 1900] OF THE CLUB OF ODD VOLUMES OF | BOSTON, MASSACHUSETTS, ON THE FIVE | HUNDREDTH ANNIVERSARY OF | CHAUCER'S DEATH | [*Seal*] | BOSTON | THE CLUB OF ODD VOLUMES | 1900

34 *pages.* 51 *numbered copies for Members and* 5 *lettered for the Author.*

A TALK | ON BOOK-PLATES | A PAPER READ BY CHARLES DEXTER ALLEN AT A | MEETING [*May* 22, 1901] OF THE CLUB OF ODD VOLUMES | OF BOSTON, MASSACHUSETTS | [*Seal*] | BOSTON | THE CLUB OF ODD VOLUMES | [*Dec.*] 1901

41 *pages.* 52 *numbered copies for Members,* 3 *lettered copies for the Author.*

TRIUMPHS OF | EARLY PRINTING | A PAPER READ AT THE ANNUAL MEETING OF THE | CLUB OF ODD VOLUMES, AT THE UNIVERSITY | CLUB, DEC. 26, 1901, BY THE PRESIDENT | JAMES FROTHINGHAM HUNNEWELL | [*Seal*] | BOSTON | THE CLUB OF ODD VOLUMES | [*Feb.*] 1902

Contains a list of publications of the CLUB. 35 *pages.* 52 *numbered copies for Members,* 4 *lettered copies for the Author,* 12 *copies for Libraries.*

PLATES

PORTRAIT OF SIR FRANCIS BERNARD [*Governor of Massachusetts,* 1760–69] ENGRAVED BY J. A. J. WIL-

COX FROM THE PAINTING IN POSSESSION OF THE FAMILY FOR THE CLUB OF ODD VOLUMES, BOSTON, MASS.

CLUB *stamp. Plate* 7 *by* 10 *inches, portrait* 4½ *by* 3½ *inches. Edition of* 51 *unlettered,* 100 *lettered copies on India paper.* [*April*] 1889.

BOSTON FROM THE SHIP HOUSE WEST END OF THE NAVY YARD. PAINTED BY W. J. BENNETT. ENGD. BY W. J. BENNETT [*about* 1833]. [*Seal*] ONE OF A RE-ISSUE OF FIFTY-ONE COPIES 1901

Plate 21¼ *by* 27¼ *inches; view* 16⅛ *by* 24¼ *inches, on Japan paper.*

*** *This plate is also lettered, at the foot,* "*Published by H. I. Megarey, New York. Entered according to the Act of Congress in the year* 1833 *by H. I. Megarey in the Clerk's Office of the district court of the southern district of New York.*" *Very few impressions seem to have been made, some* (*or all?*) *colored, when the plate was in obscurity until bought, and used as above by this* CLUB.

CLUB BOOKS AND CATALOGUES

YE SETTE | OF | ODD VOLUMES, | BOSTON. | CONSTITUTION AND BY-LAWS.

Contains a list of Members. 8 *pages,* 6 *by* 4¾ *inches, paper covers. No date.* [1887.]

THE CONSTITV- | TION & BY-LAWES | OF THE CLUB OF ODD | VOLUMES, TOGETHER WITH THE | NAMES OF ITS DIUERS MEM- | BERS & A PREFACE TO THE | LOUING READERS. | [*Seal*] | BOSTON, | IMPRINTED FOR THE CLUB BY | IHON VVILSON & SON CAMBRIDGE. | ANNO 1888.

Small quarto, pp. 6+34. *Paper covers.* 250 *copies printed from type.*

THE | FIRST ANNUAL EXHIBITION | OF THE | CLUB OF ODD VOLUMES | AT THE | BOSTON ART CLUB | MARCH 12–15, 1889 | [*Seal*] | CHAS. F. LIBBIE, JR., PRINTER | HAYWARD PLACE | [*Boston*, 1889]

Octavo, pp. 78, *unbound.* 100 *copies were printed on large paper. The number of entries is* 580.

CLUB OF ODD VOLUMES | CATALOGUE OF AN EXHIBITION OF MEZZOTINTO | PORTRAITS CONTRIBUTED | BY THE CLUB AND ITS MEMBERS | [*Seal*] | EXHIBITED AT THE CLUB ROOMS | 5 SOMERSET STREET, BOSTON | APRIL 6 TO APRIL 20, 1892

22 *pages*, 4½ *by* 7 *inches, paper covers*, 100 *entries.*

THE | CLUB OF ODD VOLUMES | TENTH | ANNIVERSARY EXHIBITION | AT THE | BOSTON ART CLUB | FEBRUARY 17–24 | 1897

8¾ *by* 4¾ *inches, pp.* 73, 3 *plates* (*a very rare portrait of Washington, etc.*). *Paper covers. A large public edition.*

THE SAME. 50 *copies on Japan paper, blue paper covers with the* CLUB *seal in gilt, for Members of the* CLUB. 1897.

MUSEUM OF FINE ARTS, | PRINT DEPARTMENT | CATALOGUE | OF A | LOAN EXHIBITION OF BOOK-PLATES AND SUPER-LIBROS | HELD BY | THE CLUB OF ODD VOLUMES, | AT THE MUSEUM OF FINE ARTS, | APRIL 25TH TO JUNE 5TH 1898.

Preliminary Notice by S. R. Koehler. Introduction by Committee (*by Charles Dexter Allen*). *Small octavo, pp. xxviii* + 189, *paper covers. Issued by the Museum of Fine Arts.*

THE SAME. *Sixty-one numbered copies, edition de luxe, printed on Japanese vellum, with* 10 *reproductions, and* 10 *book-plates of Members of the* CLUB. *Bound in the* CLUB *style, half dark roan,* 6½ *by* 9⅜ *inches, by and for the Members of the* CLUB. [*Boston,* 1898.]

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